

REMARKS

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 14, 2004, Applicant has corrected matters of form and the claims as amended are definite and in proper form. Applicant respectfully requests that the enclosed Amendment be entered into the above-identified pending Patent Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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